

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ABDUL HOWARD,

Defendant.

2:13-cr-00186-GMN-VCF

MINUTES OF THE COURT

DATED: June 5, 2014

THE HONORABLE GLORIA M. NAVARRO, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DEPUTY CLERKS: Michael Zadina

COURT RECORDER: Joan Quiros

COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFF: Cristina Silva and Phillip Smith

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT: Rebecca Levy and Shari Kaufman

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS: Jury Trial (Day 12)

9:48 a.m. The Court convenes outside the presence of the jury.

The Court and counsel canvass Juror #3 on the note received. Juror #3 is dismissed. Ms. Kaufman's oral motion for a mistrial is denied. Jurors #13 canvassed. Alternate Juror #14 recalled and canvassed.

10:22 a.m. The Court stands at recess.

11:24 a.m. The Court reconvenes outside the presence of the jury.

The Court makes preliminary statements and hears representations of Mr. Smith and Ms. Kaufman regarding the dismissal of Juror #3. Ms. Kaufman's oral motions for a continuance and dismissal of Juror #13 are denied.

11:36 a.m. The Court reconvenes in the presence of the jury. All parties are present.

The Court reads the supplemental jury instruction. Jury excused to continue deliberations.

11:38 a.m. The Court stands at recess.

2:47 p.m. The Court reconvenes outside the presence of the jury.

The Court hears arguments on the pending of Mr. Smith and Ms. Kaufman regarding the Motion for Mistrial (#182/183). IT IS ORDERED that the Motion for Mistrial (#182/183) is denied.

2:56 p.m. The Court reconvenes in the presence of the jury. All parties are present.

The verdict is read in open court. The jury finds the Defendant guilty of Counts 1-27 of the Superseding Indictment.

**IT IS ORDERED that Sentencing is set for Thursday, November 6, 2014, at 9:00 a.m.**

The Court thanks and excuses the jury from jury service.

The Court signs the preliminary order of forfeiture.

3:18 p.m. Court adjourns.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT

BY: \_\_\_\_\_/S/  
Michael Zadina, Deputy Clerk